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PATENT: **Mail Stop AF**
Customer No. 22,852
New Attorney Docket No. 08350.1659

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:)
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Brian R. JANES et al.) Group Art Unit: 3652
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Application No.: 10/028,580) Examiner: Michael S. Lowe
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Filed: December 20, 2001)
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For: LOAD BEARING MEMBER) Confirmation No.: 3268
ARRANGEMENT AND METHOD)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Mail Stop AF

NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the final decision dated
January 11, 2006 of the Examiner.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☐ A Petition for extension of time to respond to the final rejection was filed on ____ extending the period for response to ____.
2. ☐ A Petition for extension of time to further extend the period for response to ____ is enclosed together with a fee of \$____.
3. ☒ The Appeal Fee of \$500.00 (or \$250.00 if by small entity)
☒ is enclosed or ☐ is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0916
4. ☒ A check for \$500.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

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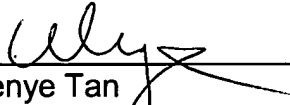
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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: April 11, 2006

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